

200 SOLDIERS BANDIT VICTIMS

Gen. Trevino Attacked By Band of Men Under Canuto Reyes in Mexico.

Private wire information was received in El Paso Thursday night that Gen. Trevino, while en route with a command of men from Torreon to Saltillo, was attacked by bandits under Gen. Canuto Reyes and 200 of his men were killed. The bodies of the slain and the remains of the command were found at Saltillo, it was said, by Trevino himself and a command of his men. The engagement occurred, so the story goes, on either Sunday, the 16th, or Monday, the 17th, of April.

The reported engagement was discredited by the Mexican officials in El Paso and Juarez. "Only Wednesday afternoon," said counsel Andres Garcia, "I personally had a message from Gen. Trevino at Torreon in which he said that everything was quiet and orderly there. The same fact was made known to Gen. Gavira. As for Reyes, he is some 25 or more miles west of Torreon entering into a pact with Gen. Mayaguez for the surrender of his troops. Gen. Trevino has three generals, each with a brigade under him at Torreon, and there would be no reason whatever for him being between Torreon and Saltillo with a mere handful of men."

AWAIT SCOTT'S ARRIVAL TO DECIDE ON CAMPAIGN

San Antonio, Tex., April 21.—Tonight public interest is centered in the conference on the Mexican situation which will be held here between Brig. Gen. H. L. Scott, chief of staff of the army, and Gen. Pershing. Gen. Scott will arrive tonight.

The 11th infantry left Eagle Pass for Columbus Thursday night. This is one of the regiments taken from border patrol duty to strengthen Gen. Pershing's command. The Sixth cavalry is expected to get under way from Harlingen tomorrow.

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American troops in Mexico chasing Villa in April, 1916, have nothing on American soldiers who were in Mexico chasing Santa Anna in 1846 when it comes to hardships and scarcity of food.

In the Lima, O. Republican-Gazette appears extracts from letters received from John W. Easley, a relative of R. F. Maxwell, manager of the Texas Grand and Crawford theaters while Easley was with the American troops in Mexico during the Mexican war of 1846-47. The paper containing these letters has just been received by Mr. Maxwell and he is showing it among his friends on San Jacinto day, the anniversary of the day Texans defeated Santa Anna.

Like Letters From Naniquips.

The letters read like those which friends have been receiving from the front in Mexico and written by the soldiers of Gen. Pershing's command. "The soldiers have no money to spend for anything and, if they had, there is nothing to buy," Mr. Easley wrote home.

"The American army has received word that Santa Anna with 36,000 Mexicans was marching toward them," he wrote in another letter. "If that is all he has he had better go home and get some more before attacking us," he added.

News by Dispatch Bearers.

The letters were written from Matamoros, Cerritos and Monterey, and Mr. Easley told of the Mexican campaign of that war of the battle of Monterey and of Gen. Taylor sending the news of it out by a dispatch rider through the lines. The message was sent by a courier on horseback for relay to the president, airplanes, wireless stations and field telephones not then having been dreamed of by the army. This battle, Mr. Easley stated in his letters, was one of the hardest fought ever waged by the American army and 1000 were killed and wounded.

These letters bore the inscriptions, "Politeness of Adl. Armstrong," which served as frank. No envelopes were available and the letters were simply folded and stuck together with candle grease.

Best meals Pickwick Cafe, 405 N. Ore. Adv.

FOREIGNERS TRY TO HURT MEXICO

Carranza Government To Expel Undesirables; Correspondent Assailed.

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providing for the expulsion of pernicious foreigners, and all officials are requested to inform the names of foreigners who are instigating trouble and sending out false reports of Mexican conditions.

AMERICAN FIELD BASE IS MOVED NEAR PARRAL

Washington, D. C., April 21.—A border report that Gen. Herrera had granted use of the Mexican railways to Col. Brown and the 16th cavalry to withdraw from Parral, was explained today by army officials as merely a movement of the American advance field base near Parral. Secretary Baker insisted there were no orders or information upon which to base withdrawal rumors.

The department had been previously officially advised that Mexican authorities would not object to a base somewhere near Parral.

No dispatches and all information disclaimed the Villa hunt was practically at a standstill. Secretary Baker said there were no new orders.

Theodore N. Vail, head of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, was employed in the railway mail service during his younger life.

JUAREZ GRIEVES WITH THE CHRIST

Solemn Observance of Good Friday in Old Mission; El Paso Worshippers.

Juarez observed Good Friday in a solemn fashion. The military was not in evidence near the Mission of Our Lady of Guadalupe, save for the noon call of the trumpets and the flare of drums in the distance. Within the old church the scene of Golgotha was reenacted. Kneeling about the church were many women saying their prayers aloud. Along the walls were men and boys, bent with devout devotion, or not yet prepared for adoration, comfortably observing the others and now and then raising their eyes to the form of the crucified image of the Saviour.

Christ On Cross.

The central cross, somewhat larger than the two miniature crosses of the thirves, supported the life-size figure of an image of Jesus Christ. The body, the face, the pierced hands, feet and breast all denoted a vast agony; and the poor of Juarez, already tired to a vast suffering, opened their hearts to a world of agony.

Flood Offerings.

At the entrance of the old structure was the image of the Christ, hands stained with blood and feet also crowned with thorns. Near this image stood two centuries of people, flickered ceremoniously before the shrine and many flowers, especially the pink roses that bloom so abundantly in the gardens across the river, sent out their pungent sweetness into the air heavy with its human odors.

El Paso Observance.

In El Paso the same solemn services were observed in the Catholic churches, but without that strong feeling of Latinism which makes the Juarez ceremony different. Saturday the story of the church will be replaced with a splendor of color and magnificence, while on Easter Sunday the story of the resurrection will be chanted and sung.

ARMY MEN PROBE VILLA REPORT; LEARN NOTHING

Field Headquarters of Gen. Pershing, April 20.—(By wireless to Columbus, N. M., April 21.)—American military authorities, detailed to investigate the report that the body recently discovered at San Francisco de Borja, was that of Pancho Villa, reported today that they were unable to make any confirmation. No details were given which would tend to throw light on the situation.

GEN. CAVAZOS IS AT CUSI; DID NOT BRING VILLA'S BODY

A private dispatch received from Cuahitlan Friday morning, by telephone, stated that Gen. Jose Cavazos arrived Friday morning at Cuahitlan and he brought no Villa body with him.

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2½ pound size can Monarch Red Pitted Cherries for 28c 2 pound can Monarch Red Raspberries for 28c 2½ pound size can Gold Leaf Sliced Pineapple, per can 22c 2 lb. size cans for 15c 1 lb. size cans for 10c 2½ lb. size cans Broken Sliced Pineapple 3 for 50c 2 lb. size cans Broken Sliced Pineapple 2 for 25c 2½ lb. size cans Gold Leaf Peaches or Apricots, per can 22c Packed in Heavy Syrup. Fancy Ripe Olives, pint 25c Fancy Ripe Olives, quart 45c Fancy Queen Olives, quart 40c	Chase and Sanborn's Coffee "The World's Best." 25c Diamond Blend, per lb. 25c Amber Blend, per lb. 30c Crusade Blend, per lb. 30c 3 lbs. for \$1.00 Golden Glow Blend, per lb. 40c 3 lbs. for \$1.10 Seal Brand, per lb. 40c "Orange Pekoe Tea" is the Finest in Tea Blend, ¼ lb. 20c ½ lb. can 35c 1 lb. can 65c Fancy Maraschino Cherries in bottles 15c, 25c, 45c and 75c Welch Grape Juice 25c Pints 25c Quarts 45c	

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